

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Helmut Jerg et al.  
Application Number: 10/578,386  
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Group Art Unit: 1711  
Examiner: Jason Paul Riggleman  
Title: DEVICE FOR CONTROLLING SPRAY CHANNELS IN  
DISHWASHER MACHINES

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**RESPONSE D**

Dear Sir:

This paper responds to the final Office Action dated November 10, 2010, and is being filed within the 2-month first reply deadline of January 10, 2011. Please charge Deposit Account No. 502786 for any deficiency or overpayment.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.